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**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2018**

**FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Senate met at 8:30 a.m., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker McNally.

**PRAYER**

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Dr. Paul Grady, Chaplain for the Tennessee Highway Patrol and Blount County Sheriff's Office in Maryville, Tennessee, a guest of Senator Swann.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Senator Swann led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

**SALUTE TO THE FLAG OF TENNESSEE**

Senator Swann led the Senate in the Salute to the Flag of Tennessee.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll call was taken with the following results:

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Senators present were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--32.

**STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State and Local Government begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1469, 1481, 1482, 1483, 1484, 1508, 1509 with amendment, 1516 with amendment, 1610 and 1729; also, recommend that Senate Bill No. 1582 be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

YAGER, Chairperson  
January 30, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1469, 1481, 1482, 1483, 1484, 1508, 1509 with amendment, 1516 with amendment, 1610 and 1729 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 1582 to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**JUDICIARY**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1608 with amendment and 1650; also, recommend that Senate Joint Resolution No. 494 be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

KELSEY, Chairperson  
January 30, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1608 with amendment and 1650 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 494 to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 32 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, **Senate Bills Nos. 1920 through 1936, 1939 through 2065** be passed on first consideration, which motion prevailed.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The Speaker announced the following bills were filed for introduction and passed first consideration:

**Senate Bill No. 1920** by Senator Johnson.

Sexual Offenders -- As introduced, defines "playground" for purposes of sexual offender restrictions as any outdoor facility that is intended for recreation of children and owned by the state, a local government, or a not-for-profit organization. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**Senate Bill No. 1921** by Senator Johnson.

Courts -- As introduced, enacts the "Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act." Amends TCA Title 29; Title 47; Title 48 and Title 66.

**Senate Bill No. 1922** by Senator Johnson.

Labor -- As introduced, extends repeal date for the Go Build Tennessee Program, from July 1, 2019, to July 1, 2024; deletes restriction that funds collected from contractor licensing revenue be used only to fund career and technical education programs and other certified and nationally accredited programs. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 41 and Title 62, Chapter 6, Part 1.

**Senate Bill No. 1923** by Senator Lundberg.

Taxes, Ad Valorem -- As introduced, authorizes governing bodies to exclude from taxable value of property appearing on the assessment roll, the taxable value of properties subject to tax increment financing and properties within areas where an economic impact plan has been approved. Amends TCA Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 1924** by Senator Lundberg.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, clarifies that for the audited financial reports of certain self-sufficient utilities, non-cash charges arising from changes to or the implementation of pension and

other post-employment benefit standards promulgated by the GASB are excluded when determining a change in net position. Amends TCA Section 7-82-401 and Section 68-221-1010.

**Senate Bill No. 1925** by Senator Lundberg.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, requires state institutions of higher education to grant an excused absence to military reserve or national guard personnel for an absence due to mandatory military service; requires state institutions of higher education to permit military reserve and national guard personnel to withdraw or receive a grade of incomplete in any course if the service member is called to active duty while enrolled. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

**Senate Bill No. 1926** by Senator Briggs.

Medical Occupations -- As introduced, establishes a license for a new practitioner. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 29; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 71.

**Senate Bill No. 1927** by Senator Briggs.

Veterans -- As introduced, adds a representative for military veteran recipients to be appointed as a member of the statewide planning and policy council. Amends TCA Section 33-1-401.

**Senate Bill No. 1928** by Senator Briggs.

Consumer Protection -- As introduced, regulates the resale of stored value cards. Amends TCA Title 39; Title 47 and Title 62.

**Senate Bill No. 1929** by Senator Jackson.

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) -- As introduced, prohibits boards, commissions, and other multi-member governmental entities from promulgating rules or issuing other internal restrictions that infringe on an entity member's freedom of speech. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 1.

**Senate Bill No. 1930** by Senator Massey.

Barbers and/or Cosmetologists -- As introduced, requires the state board of cosmetology and barber examiners to promulgate rules to establish a system to timely notify an accused applicant or licensee of the board's receipt of a complaint filed against such person, and to create statutes of limitations similar to those established for real estate brokers. Amends TCA Title 62.

**Senate Bill No. 1931** by Senator Massey.

Foster Care -- As introduced, enacts the "Foster Care Support and Continuity Act." Amends TCA Title 36 and Title 37.

**Senate Bill No. 1932** by Senator Jackson.

Planning, Public -- As introduced, permits 50 percent of the real property tax collected on real property conveyed by a land bank to be remitted to the land bank for a period of five years following the conveyance. Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 30 and Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 1933** by Senator Jackson.

Planning, Public -- As introduced, extends application of the Neighborhood Preservation Act to include any county or municipality that has formed a land bank. Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 6 and Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 1934** by Senator Kelsey.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, reduces from 45 days to 40 days after a final judgment the amount of time within which a court clerk must notify the TBI of a conviction for an offense that

requires the offender to be placed on the drug offender registry. Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 53.

**Senate Bill No. 1935** by Senator Kelsey.

Victims' Rights -- As introduced, requires the secretary of state to establish a crime victim address confidentiality program for victims of domestic abuse, stalking, human trafficking, and sexual offenses; establishes how a substitute address may be used by a program participant in lieu of a confidential address. Amends TCA Title 2; Title 10, Chapter 7; Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 38.

**Senate Bill No. 1936** by Senator Niceley.

Motor Vehicles -- As introduced, prohibits the expenditure of state funds to implement or enforce electronic logging device regulations in this state. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 55.

**Senate Bill No. 1939** by Senator Southerland.

Naming and Designating -- As introduced, designates new department of agriculture building in Davidson County as "Julius T. Johnson Metrology Laboratory".

**Senate Bill No. 1940** by Senator Johnson.

Tort Liability and Reform -- As introduced, allows a parent or legal guardian of a minor to waive a claim against a person or entity for personal injury or death resulting from negligence related to an inherent risk of certain activities. Amends TCA Title 29; Title 37 and Title 47.

**Senate Bill No. 1941** by Senator Johnson.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, removes duplicate definition for a premier type tourist resort. Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1942** by Senator Johnson.

Business Organizations -- As introduced, revises the Uniform Limited Partnership Act. Amends TCA Title 61.

**Senate Bill No. 1943** by Senator Kyle.

Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, adds gender identity to the list of victim characteristics in hate crime as an enhancement factor in sentencing. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 1.

**Senate Bill No. 1944** by Senator Bowling.

Sexual Offenses -- As introduced, classifies the offense of continuous sexual abuse of a child as a violent sexual offense for purposes of the Tennessee Sexual Offender and Violent Sexual Offender Registration, Verification and Tracking Act of 2004. Amends TCA Section 39-13-518 and Title 40, Chapter 39, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1945** by Senator Crowe.

Health Care -- As introduced, changes the definition of "trauma service codes" for purposes of the Tennessee Trauma Center Funding Law of 2007. Amends TCA Section 68-59-102.

**Senate Bill No. 1946** by Senator Crowe.

Boards and Commissions -- As introduced, deletes obsolete requirement that state boards and commissions report on the status of statutorily created apprenticeship programs in effect as of July 1, 2014. Amends TCA Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68.

**Senate Bill No. 1947** by Senator Crowe.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, requires each LEA to submit annually a report to the department of education detailing the LEA's use of corporal punishment; requires the department of education to report the number of instances of corporal punishment on its website. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 1948** by Senator Crowe.

Trusts -- As introduced, authorizes a trustee to establish a single trust fund for all pre-need funeral contracts issued by multiple pre-need sellers, instead of having to establish a trust fund for each pre-need seller. Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 5, Part 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1949** by Senator Crowe.

Public Health -- As introduced, enacts the "Suicide Mortality Review and Prevention Act of 2018." Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 3.

**Senate Bill No. 1950** by Senator Crowe.

Sentencing -- As introduced, establishes a mandatory minimum sentence of 48 hours for person convicted of certain aggravated assault offenses against a law enforcement officer or first responder. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1.

**Senate Bill No. 1951** by Senator Crowe.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, allows a first responder to receive a 25 percent reduction in the undergraduate tuition at any state-operated institution of higher learning if the first responder has first earned an associate degree using a Tennessee Promise scholarship, Community College Reconnect Grant, or Tennessee reconnect grant. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7.

**Senate Bill No. 1952** by Senator Kyle.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, creates the Class C misdemeanor criminal offense of hazing. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17; Section 49-2-120 and Section 49-7-123.

**Senate Bill No. 1953** by Senator Pody.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, enacts the "2018 Second Amendment Protections Act." Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 11; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 70.

**Senate Bill No. 1954** by Senator Pody.

Uniform Commercial Code -- As introduced, makes available to all Tennessee residents the streamlined process in current law for certain public officials to contest Uniform Commercial Code financing statements that they believe to lack any legal basis. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 9, Part 5.

**Senate Bill No. 1955** by Senator Pody.

Firearms and Ammunition -- As introduced, enacts the "Second Amendment Civil Rights Act of 2018"; confers private right of action upon a person to challenge a government entity that refuses to make property available to third parties for Second Amendment activities when the property is made available for other activities; prohibits government entity from banning the possession of a handgun by a handgun permit holder on property owned or administered by the entity unless security officers inspect all persons entering the premises. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

**Senate Bill No. 1956** by Senator Pody.

Mobile Homes and Manufactured Buildings -- As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to annually submit a report to the general assembly detailing the

implementation of the enforcement plan for federal manufactured home construction and safety standards under the National Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974 and any agreements entered into with the department of housing and urban development. Amends TCA Title 45; Title 47; Title 55; Title 56; Title 66 and Title 68.

**Senate Bill No. 1957** by Senator Pody.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, removes authorization to transfer certain duties of the county mayor to certain water and wastewater treatment authorities. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 6, Part 1; Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 13 and Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 6.

**Senate Bill No. 1958** by Senator Pody.

General Assembly -- As introduced, subjects all files concerning complaints initiated under either the former sexual harassment policy or the current workplace discrimination and harassment policy to public disclosure upon completion of proceedings; requires information concerning the identity of the complainant to be redacted prior to disclosure. Amends TCA Title 3.

**Senate Bill No. 1959** by Senator Pody.

Local Government, General -- As introduced, allows a municipal legislative body to authorize, by ordinance, a member of the body who is deployed for under one year while serving as a member to attend and vote in sessions through the use of two-way electronic audio-video communication during the deployment. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 8.

**Senate Bill No. 1960** by Senator Pody.

Consumer Protection -- As introduced, designates as an unfair or deceptive act or practice the failure of a broadband service provider to give a new consumer notice of the availability of parental control protections. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65, Chapter 5, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1961** by Senator Pody.

Abortion -- As introduced, prohibits abortions from the point a fetal heartbeat is detected; requires fetal heartbeat testing prior to an abortion; creates exceptions. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1962** by Senator Pody.

Abortion -- As introduced, clarifies that the required notice in facilities and physician offices regarding the illegality of being coerced to have an abortion must be written and displayed in such a manner that a reasonable person to whom it applies should have noticed it. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 6; Title 63, Chapter 9 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1963** by Senator Pody.

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- As introduced, requires a life, accident, hospitalization, or health insurance company doing business in this state that solicits applications or offers for contracts or contracts of insurance primarily by internet to provide at least one office for the handling of claims in Memphis, Nashville, Knoxville, or Chattanooga. Amends TCA Title 56.

**Senate Bill No. 1964** by Senator Watson.

Bond Issues -- As introduced, authorizes the state, acting by resolution of its funding board, to issue and sell its interest-bearing bonds and bond anticipation notes for certain purposes.

**Senate Bill No. 1965** by Senator Watson.

Budget Procedures -- As introduced, authorizes grant payments under the grant assistance program for nursing home care to be made either monthly or quarterly. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 5;

Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 16; Title 17; Title 18; Title 29; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 42; Title 43; Title 44; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 49; Title 50; Title 53; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 58; Title 59; Title 60; Title 61; Title 62; Title 63; Title 64; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69; Title 70 and Title 71.

**Senate Bill No. 1966** by Senator Watson.

Appropriations -- As introduced, makes appropriations for the purpose of defraying the expenses of certain legislative enactments passed during the 2018 session of the 110th General Assembly; earmarks sufficient state funds for the purpose of funding any bill naming a highway or bridge in honor of a service member killed in action.

**Senate Bill No. 1967** by Senator Watson.

Employees, Employers -- As introduced, specifies that a marketplace contractor of a marketplace platform is not an employee of the marketplace platform. Amends TCA Title 50; Title 56 and Title 62.

**Senate Bill No. 1968** by Senator Harris.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, upon approval of the retail sale of wine on Sundays, remits the retail gallonage tax from Sunday sales to a newly created low income children pre-kindergarten scholarship fund; upon such approval, requires the department of education to use money in the fund to establish a scholarship program to provide access to pre-kindergarten to children from low income families. Amends TCA Title 49; Title 57, Chapter 3; Title 57, Chapter 4 and Title 57, Chapter 5.

**Senate Bill No. 1969** by Senator Harper.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, requires the governing board of each state university, the trustees of the University of Tennessee, and the board of regents to create a policy to provide special education services to students with documented learning disabilities and special needs, including but not limited to tutoring services and career placement guidance. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

**Senate Bill No. 1970** by Senator Briggs.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, removes the ability for municipalities to choose a process for distributing payments of tax equivalent amounts to taxing jurisdictions different than what is provided in law; authorizes a county legislative body to pass a resolution requiring municipal electric systems to direct payment of tax equivalent amounts to the taxing jurisdictions as provided by law. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 52.

**Senate Bill No. 1971** by Senator Massey.

Liens -- As introduced, creates a streamlined process for certain public officials to contest liens on real property that they believe to lack any legal basis. Amends TCA Section 47-9-513 and Title 66, Chapter 21, Part 1.

**Senate Bill No. 1972** by Senator Stevens.

Victims' Rights -- As introduced, changes the frequency required for newspaper publication of a notice of the existence of a victims' compensation escrow fund from once every three months to twice every six months. Amends TCA Title 24 and Title 29.

**Senate Bill No. 1973** by Senator Stevens.

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- As introduced, provides that a contract between a purchaser of a pre-need funeral contract and a travel protection service provider is not a contract of insurance. Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 62, Chapter 5, Part 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1974** by Senator Stevens.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, creates Class B felony of selling, possessing, or manufacturing 15 grams or more of any substance containing fentanyl and Class A felony if the substance contains 150 grams or more of fentanyl. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 39, Chapter 15; Title 39, Chapter 16; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 40, Chapter 35; Title 55; Title 63; Title 69, Chapter 9 and Title 70.

**Senate Bill No. 1975** by Senators Gardenhire, Bailey, Yager, Roberts, Bell, Watson, Bowling, Pody, Johnson and Hensley.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, creates a two-year advanced integrated industrial technology pilot program; establishes a grant for certain students participating in dual credit or dual enrollment courses toward an associate of applied science degree in advanced integrated industrial technology. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9 and Title 49, Chapter 8.

**Senate Bill No. 1976** by Senator Gardenhire.

Public Funds and Financing -- As introduced, allows political subdivisions with defined benefit pension plans to use actuaries that may also be members of the American Society of Pension Professionals and Actuaries or other professional organizations for actuaries, in addition to being members of the American Academy of Actuaries. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 3, Part 5.

**Senate Bill No. 1977** by Senator Dickerson.

Public Health -- As introduced, clarifies that a park does not include a greenway for purposes of the prohibition that no hypodermic syringe exchange program may be operated within 2,000 feet of a park; declares that in the event a greenway traverses a park, the greenway shall be considered a portion of that park for purposes of such prohibition. Amends TCA Title 68.

**Senate Bill No. 1978** by Senator Dickerson.

Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, enables a person who has been disqualified from exercising right to vote due to felony conviction to apply for restoration of voting rights if making payments in accordance with payment plan for court costs, restitution, or overdue child support. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 29, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1979** by Senator Dickerson.

Taxes, Ad Valorem -- As introduced, establishes procedure for classifying property as low-income housing property; requires such property be valued according to present use value; makes other related revisions. Amends TCA Title 13 and Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 1980** by Senator Dickerson.

Municipal Government -- As introduced, increases the number of days from seven to 14 prior to the deadline for filing a notice of election that a municipality that changed the term of office for an elected official must file a copy of the ordinance changing the term of office with the county election commission. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9 and Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 1981** by Senator Dickerson.

TennCare -- As introduced, requires comptroller of the treasury to study the recruiting and retention practices for senior executives in the department of commerce and insurance and the bureau of TennCare as well as their career paths over the last 10 years and identify any issues relating to conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest; and report concerning findings and recommendations of the study to the chairs of the health committee of the house of representatives,



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the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives, the health and welfare committee of the senate, and the commerce and labor committee of the senate on or before January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71.

**Senate Bill No. 1982** by Senator Dickerson.

District Attorneys -- As introduced, authorizes counties to supplement the salaries of assistant district attorneys general by depositing funds with the treasury of the state for that purpose. Amends TCA Section 8-7-226.

**Senate Bill No. 1983** by Senator Dickerson.

Taxes -- As introduced, extends from December 31 to January 15 the date by which the transportation equity fund annual report, which includes tax revenues from fuels used for aviation, railways, and water carriers, must be submitted to the governor and members of the general assembly. Amends TCA Section 9-4-207 and Title 67, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 1984** by Senator Dickerson.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, authorizes restaurants operating in a central business improvement district in Nashville to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption; prohibits such establishments from selling or giving away alcoholic beverages or beer only between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m. Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1985** by Senator Niceley.

Consumer Protection -- As introduced, prohibits any person who regularly engages in or solicits consumer transactions involving the installation of used tires from installing an unsafe used tire on a motor vehicle; specifies that installing an unsafe used tire is a violation of the Tennessee Consumer Protection Act of 1977. Amends TCA Title 47 and Title 55.

**Senate Bill No. 1986** by Senator Gardenhire.

Motor Vehicles -- As introduced, authorizes motorcycle rider education program advisory committee to make reports and program recommendations to commissioner of safety in electronic format. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 55.

**Senate Bill No. 1987** by Senator Gardenhire.

Forfeiture of Assets -- As introduced, enacts the "U.S. Attorney General Edwin Meese Civil Asset Forfeiture Reform Act." Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1988** by Senator Stevens.

Public Funds and Financing -- As introduced, requires state treasurer to notify a qualified public depository of the effective date of the depository's withdrawal from the collateral pool for public deposits no less than 45 days, rather than no less than 30 days, prior to the effective date of that withdrawal. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1989** by Senator Stevens.

Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement -- As introduced, revises certain circumstances under which the commissioner of revenue must not include or retain a non-participating manufacturer in the directory of certified tobacco product manufacturers. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4.

**Senate Bill No. 1990** by Senator Stevens.

Parks, Natural Areas Preservation -- As introduced, extends, from not more than 10 days to not more than 15 days, the period for which the director of parks and recreation may issue permits for special events in state parks. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 5 and Title 11.

**Senate Bill No. 1991** by Senator Stevens.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, reduces the period for which a manufacturer's license must be suspended or revoked for mislabeling its product as Tennessee whiskey from not less than one year to not more than one year. Amends TCA Title 57.

**Senate Bill No. 1992** by Senator Johnson.

Public Records -- As introduced, permits a licensed attorney acting on behalf of an employee of the department of correction to inspect the investigative records and reports of the internal affairs division of the department of correction prior to a due process hearing on a disciplinary action against the employee unless inspection is denied by the commissioner prior to the hearing. Amends TCA Title 10 and Title 39.

**Senate Bill No. 1993** by Senator Johnson.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, adds assessing the presence of other obstructions for the purpose of maintaining clearances of utility easements as a lawful capture of an image using an unmanned aircraft. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

**Senate Bill No. 1994** by Senator Johnson.

Judges and Chancellors -- As introduced, requires that the weighted caseload formula devised by the comptroller of the treasury be provided to the general assembly no later than January 1 of each year. Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 2.

**Senate Bill No. 1995** by Senator Johnson.

Consumer Protection -- As introduced, revises various provisions relative to price gouging. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18.

**Senate Bill No. 1996** by Senator Johnson.

Lottery, Corporation -- As introduced, authorizes use of money orders, debit cards, and prepaid gift cards to purchase lottery tickets; revises other provisions concerning prize claims and lottery devices. Amends TCA Section 4-51-108 and Section 4-51-123.

**Senate Bill No. 1997** by Senator Johnson.

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- As introduced, regulates multiple employer welfare arrangements created in this state. Amends TCA Title 56.

**Senate Bill No. 1998** by Senator Harper.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, designates the National Museum of African American Music as an urban park center for the purposes of on-premises consumption of alcoholic beverages. Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.

**Senate Bill No. 1999** by Senators Swann and Bowling.

Controlled Substances -- As introduced, creates Class B felony of selling, possessing, or manufacturing 15 grams or more of any substance containing fentanyl and Class A felony if the substance contains 150 grams or more of fentanyl. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 39, Chapter 15; Title 39, Chapter 16; Title 39, Chapter 17 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

**Senate Bill No. 2000** by Senator Bowling.

Sexual Offenses -- As introduced, expands felony offenses of sexual exploitation of a minor, aggravated sexual exploitation of a minor, and especially aggravated sexual exploitation of a minor

to include the display of certain intimate body parts in material possessed, distributed, or produced for the sexual gratification of the defendant or another. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 10.

**Senate Bill No. 2001** by Senator Yager.

Real Property -- As introduced, codifies common law creation of joint tenancy with right of survivorship through express language in a conveying instrument; prevents a joint tenancy with right of survivorship from being unilaterally severed. Amends TCA Title 66.

**Senate Bill No. 2002** by Senator Yager.

Child Custody and Support -- As introduced, extends subject matter jurisdiction to hear grandparent visitation cases to any court that exercises domestic relations jurisdiction. Amends TCA Section 36-6-306.

**Senate Bill No. 2003** by Senator Yager.

Alcoholic Beverages -- As introduced, authorizes the manufacturing of intoxicating liquors and drinks in Lenoir City. Amends TCA Title 57.

**Senate Bill No. 2004** by Senator Tate.

Naming and Designating -- As introduced, authorizes the Tennessee state veterans' homes board to name, subject to the governor's approval, the campus, buildings, facilities, and grounds of any state veterans' home; authorizes the administrator of each veterans' home to name any portion of the state veterans' home. Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 7.

**Senate Bill No. 2005** by Senator Tate.

Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation -- As introduced, creates criminal offenses relating to the marketing of alcohol and drug treatment services. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 39; Title 63 and Title 68.

**Senate Bill No. 2006** by Senator Tate.

Bail, Bail Bonds -- As introduced, prohibits bounty hunters from using any variation of the words "agent" or "officer" on any uniform, badge, shield, card, or other item the bounty hunter wears, carries, or displays. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40, Chapter 11.

**Senate Bill No. 2007** by Senator Massey.

Dentists and Dentistry -- As introduced, directs the commissioner of health to study issues related to healthcare access and healthcare status of populations affected by the implementation of the teledentistry amendments made by Chapter 918 of the Public Acts of 2016; the commissioner shall report the findings and any recommendations arising out of the study to the health committee of the house of representatives and the health and welfare committee of the senate on or before January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2008** by Senator Massey.

Health Care -- As introduced, requires the department of health to make available information on Down syndrome to certain persons; provides liability protection to certain physicians. Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68.

**Senate Bill No. 2009** by Senator Massey.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, authorizes a county mayor, after receiving approval by a resolution from the county legislative body, to contract the territory of a utility district providing electric service in the county if certain requirements are met. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 65.

**Senate Bill No. 2010** by Senator Massey.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, prohibits a member or commissioner of a utility board from being an employee of the utility, an elected official, or having an immediate family member who is an employee of the utility. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8 and Title 65.

**Senate Bill No. 2011** by Senators Gresham, Haile, Gardenhire, Hensley, Tate, Crowe, Dickerson, Kelsey and Lundberg.

Education, State Board of -- As introduced, grants the state board of education the power to reprimand directors of schools for failure to report certain criminal convictions of licensed educators to the state board; grants the state board the power to suspend an educator's license or reprimand an educator for misconduct in addition to the state board's present power to revoke licenses; grants the state board the power to reprimand educators for violations of the teacher code of ethics. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 49.

**Senate Bill No. 2012** by Senators Gresham, Tate, Gardenhire, Haile, Hensley, Crowe, Dickerson, Kelsey and Lundberg.

Education, State Board of -- As introduced, requires the state board of education to develop a policy for transmittal of final disciplinary actions on educator licenses to the national clearinghouse administered by the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC); requires the state board to post on its website all of its final disciplinary actions on educator licenses. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

**Senate Bill No. 2013** by Senators Gresham, Gardenhire, Haile, Hensley, Tate, Crowe, Dickerson, Kelsey and Lundberg.

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- As introduced, revises the teacher code of ethics; requires annual professional development for teachers on the teacher code of ethics; requires teacher preparation programs to include training for all students on the teacher code of ethics. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2014** by Senators Gresham, Hensley, Gardenhire, Haile, Tate, Kelsey, Crowe, Dickerson and Lundberg.

Education, State Board of -- As introduced, requires applicants for educator licensure to submit to a criminal records background check; changes criminal records background check procedures for LEA employees. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

**Senate Bill No. 2015** by Senators Gresham, Lundberg, Gardenhire, Haile, Hensley, Tate, Crowe, Dickerson and Kelsey.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, prohibits LEAs from entering into a non-disclosure agreement during, or as a prerequisite to, settlement for any act of sexual misconduct; prohibits employees from assisting others in obtaining employment if the employee knows that the person has engaged in sexual misconduct involving a minor or student. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2016** by Senator Haile.

Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- As introduced, designates board of trustees for the Tennessee consolidated retirement system instead of the consolidated retirement board as serving among the trustees for the optional retirement program; makes various revisions to the administration of deferred or tax-sheltered compensation plans for state employees. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 25, Part 1 and Title 8, Chapter 25, Part 2.

**Senate Bill No. 2017** by Senator Haile.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, extends homebound instruction to all students, instead of only pregnant students, who have a medical condition that prevents the student from attending regular classes. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 11.

**Senate Bill No. 2018** by Senator Haile.

Local Education Agencies -- As introduced, requires LEAs to create a policy to allow a parent or a parent's designee to observe instruction and other school activities involving the parent's student upon request. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2019** by Senator Haile.

Insurance, Health, Accident -- As introduced, requires identification of a physician licensed in this state and a meeting with the enrollee's physician when a claim is denied on the basis of medical necessity. Amends TCA Title 56.

**Senate Bill No. 2020** by Senator Haile.

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- As introduced, decreases from 60 days to 30 days the time in which a utilization review agent has to notify health care providers of a change in preauthorization requirements that affects cancer patients. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 56.

**Senate Bill No. 2021** by Senator Haile.

Surplus Property -- As introduced, requires the commissioner of general services, upon completing an inventory of state-owned real property, to electronically file a copy of the complete inventory with the governor, state treasurer, secretary of state, and other public officials and departments as designated by the governor rather than filing a physical copy of such inventories. Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 2.

**Senate Bill No. 2022** by Senator Haile.

Medical Occupations -- As introduced, establishes an opioid abuse and diversion hotline operated by the department of health; prohibits civil liability for or firing of a person who reports suspected abuse or diversion to the hotline. Amends TCA Title 50 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2023** by Senator Haile.

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- As introduced, authorizes person who is deaf or hard of hearing and who possesses a motor vehicle registration to request notation be made in Tennessee crime information center database that person is deaf or hard of hearing to assist law enforcement in identifying operator of vehicle registered in person's name as possibly being deaf or hard of hearing. Amends TCA Title 55.

**Senate Bill No. 2024** by Senator Haile.

Industrial Development -- As introduced, extends allocation of certain funds to Four Lake regional industrial development authority from fiscal year 2017-2018 to 2023-2024. Amends TCA Section 67-9-102.

**Senate Bill No. 2025** by Senator Haile.

Controlled Substances -- As introduced, authorizes a partial fill of a prescription of an opioid. Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2026** by Senators Haile, Crowe and Yager.

TennCare -- As introduced, enacts the "Annual Coverage Assessment of 2018". Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5 and Chapter 364 of the Private Acts of 2017.

**Senate Bill No. 2027** by Senator Green.

Drugs, Prescription -- As introduced, requires annual reporting to the department of health of the number of oral prescriptions for Schedule II controlled substances filled under the existing emergency situation exception to the general written prescription requirement. Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2028** by Senator Green.

Judges and Chancellors -- As introduced, adds a new trial court judge to the 23rd judicial district comprised of Cheatham, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, and Stewart counties effective September 1, 2018; calls for appointment of new judge by governor to serve until September 1, 2020, and election of new judge at August 2020 general election to serve until September 1, 2022. Amends TCA Section 16-2-506.

**Senate Bill No. 2029** by Senator Green.

Education -- As introduced, creates additional privacy protections for students' education and health records; prohibits release of student records in certain circumstances without parents' informed written consent. Amends TCA Title 49.

**Senate Bill No. 2030** by Senator Green.

Criminal Offenses -- As introduced, creates Class A misdemeanor offense of criminal impersonation of a member or veteran of uniformed service when person pretends to be member or veteran for purpose of obtaining money, services, property, or other tangible benefit. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 16, Part 3 and Section 58-1-602.

**Senate Bill No. 2031** by Senator Green.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, adds any postsecondary education benefit for which payments or assistance are provided by, or appropriated by funds of, any state or local governmental entity, and any use of money provided to the state through taxes, to the definition of "state or local public benefit" in the Eligibility Verification for Entitlements Act. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

**Senate Bill No. 2032** by Senator Green.

Healthcare Liability -- As introduced, requires the commissioner of health to study and report on recommendations for legislation concerning telehealth and telemedicine under existing statutes to the health committee of the house of representatives and the health and welfare committee of the senate by January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71.

**Senate Bill No. 2033** by Senator Southerland.

Food and Food Products -- As introduced, reduces, from 60 days after a hearing to 45 days after a hearing, the period in which the commissioner of agriculture must issue an order following a hearing regarding the sanitary conditions in a licensed slaughterhouse or any violations of the Tennessee Meat and Poultry Inspection Act. Amends TCA Title 43; Title 53 and Title 57.

**Senate Bill No. 2034** by Senator Pody.

Polygraph -- As introduced, decreases from 30 to 21 days the time in which a licensed polygraph examiner or company must notify the private investigation and polygraph commission of a change in business address. Amends TCA Title 62.

**Senate Bill No. 2035** by Senator Pody.

Special License Plates -- As introduced, creates collegiate license plate for Cumberland University. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2 and Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 3.

**Senate Bill No. 2036** by Senator Gresham.

Education, Higher -- As introduced, requires the governor, in appointing members to governing boards of state institutions of higher education, to strive to ensure that at least one board member is an honorably discharged military veteran. Amends TCA Section 49-8-201 and Section 49-9-202.

**Senate Bill No. 2037** by Senator Gresham.

Handgun Permits -- As introduced, reduces lifetime handgun carry permit fee from \$268 to \$100 for military service members who retire after 20 years of military service with honorable discharge. Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351.

**Senate Bill No. 2038** by Senator Gresham.

Controlled Substances -- As introduced, requires health care prescribers to issue all prescriptions for Schedule II controlled substances electronically by July 1, 2020, with some exceptions. Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2039** by Senator Gresham.

Students -- As introduced, specifies that high school students shall receive a Scholars Prep Guide upon registering for a course, detailing information on how the student can best prepare for the course. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2040** by Senator Lundberg.

Tort Liability and Reform -- As introduced, imposes tort liability on unlicensed persons who treat or diagnose mental health disorders. Amends TCA Title 29; Title 33 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2041** by Senator Lundberg.

Taxes -- As introduced, urges department of revenue, in consultation with department of tourist development, to study annual amounts of revenue from sales taxes and liquor-by-the-drink taxes generated over last five years from professional sporting events; requires department to submit its findings and recommendations within 90 days from conclusion of study to finance, ways and means committees of house of representatives and senate. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 11; Title 57 and Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 2042** by Senator Lundberg.

Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- As introduced, authorizes chair of the board of trustees to call special meetings of the board; authorizes board to meet more frequently than quarterly. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36 and Title 8, Chapter 37.

**Senate Bill No. 2043** by Senator Lundberg.

Utilities, Utility Districts -- As introduced, authorizes the board of commissioners of any utility district in Sullivan County to increase the pay for each commissioner per meeting from \$300 to \$350 by resolution of the board. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82.

**Senate Bill No. 2044** by Senator Lundberg.

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation -- As introduced, requires the director and assistant directors of the bureau to complete a conflict of interest disclosure and submit the form to the Tennessee ethics commission. Amends TCA Section 8-50-501.

**Senate Bill No. 2045** by Senator Lundberg.

Education -- As introduced, changes the treatment of certain records obtained in the search for a director of schools or any chief public administrative officer from open for public inspection to

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confidential with certain exceptions; makes confidential, with certain exceptions, the records relating to the process of searching for and selecting of any applicant for a president of a state university, the president of a community college, and the president of a college of applied technology. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5 and Title 49.

**Senate Bill No. 2046** by Senator Crowe.

Funeral Directors and Embalmers -- As introduced, extends registration period for apprentice funeral directors, apprentice embalmers, and mortuary school students, from two to three years, or until the registrant has completed the apprenticeship requirements, whichever occurs first. Amends TCA Section 62-5-312.

**Senate Bill No. 2047** by Senator Crowe.

Taxes, Sales -- As introduced, exempts from sales and use taxes electrical hookup fees assessed by a marina. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2048** by Senator Crowe.

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- As introduced, exempts certain records relating to the oversight of a cooperative agreement governed by certificate of public advantage from being public records. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 13.

**Senate Bill No. 2049** by Senator Crowe.

Public Records -- As introduced, makes confidential the records of any food-based business incubation service provider created by a municipality. Amends TCA Section 10-7-504.

**Senate Bill No. 2050** by Senator Crowe.

Auctions and Auctioneers -- As introduced, repeals public automobile auctioneer licensure provisions thereby authorizing any otherwise qualified licensed auctioneer to operate a public automobile auction. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 17 and Title 62, Chapter 19.

**Senate Bill No. 2051** by Senator Crowe.

Taxes -- As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of revenue to require or authorize a "perfection period" for electronically filed Hall income tax and franchise and excise tax returns. Amends TCA Section 67-2-107; Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21.

**Senate Bill No. 2052** by Senator Crowe.

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- As introduced, increases, from five days to any accumulated, the amount of sick leave that may be used by an educator who is a member of any reserve component of the United States armed forces when called into active duty. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 33 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

**Senate Bill No. 2053** by Senator Crowe.

Driver Licenses -- As introduced, clarifies that honorably discharged military veterans who elect to indicate their military service on their driver license can provide other official documentation establishing proof of service, including NGB form 22, in addition to the DD 214 form. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50, Part 3.

**Senate Bill No. 2054** by Senator Crowe.

County Officers -- As introduced, requires each elected constable to complete 40 hours of in-service course time every 12 months in office rather than completing 40 hours of course time within 12 months of a constable's election. Amends TCA Section 8-10-202.



**Senate Bill No. 2055** by Senator Tate.

Boards and Commissions -- As introduced, requires each professional board to create a remediation subcommittee for the purpose of offering a licensee, who has been cited for a licensure violation, the option to have the licensure violation remediated prior to the board applying penalties to, or suspending or revoking the license of, the cited licensee. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 62 and Title 63.

**Senate Bill No. 2056** by Senator Tate.

Economic and Community Development -- As introduced, requires a municipality financing the cost of a qualified public use facility in a tourism development zone to provide notice, within five days instead of seven days, before entering into any structured lease agreement, that discloses the purpose of the agreement. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 88 and Title 67, Chapter 4.

**Senate Bill No. 2057** by Senator Tate.

House of Representatives -- As introduced, authorizes members of the house of representatives to attend one or more out-of-state legislative gatherings each year; requires the house of representatives policy to be no less restrictive than the senate policy. Amends TCA Section 3-1-106.

**Senate Bill No. 2058** by Senator Yager.

Wine & Wineries -- As introduced, permits a winery or farm wine producer that manufactures, or produces, as applicable, 50,000 gallons or less of wine in a year and that operates a satellite facility to directly supply the satellite facility with wine, without obtaining the wine from a wholesaler; clarifies that wholesalers may permit wineries and farm wine producers to transport their own products for retail sale. Amends TCA Section 57-3-207.

**Senate Bill No. 2059** by Senator Green.

Firearms and Ammunition -- As introduced, changes to January 15 from February 1 the date by which the Tennessee bureau of investigation is required to provide an annual report to the senate judiciary and house criminal justice committees on the amount of money collected from gun dealers to perform background checks that is in excess of the costs to the bureau to perform the checks. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 16; Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 49; Section 50-3-201; Section 58-1-112; Section 70-4-123 and Section 70-5-101.

**Senate Bill No. 2060** by Senator Gardenhire.

Taxes, Sales -- As introduced, requires retailers to collect state and local sales taxes on goods and services sold for resale in a subsequent retail transaction; provides purchasers of such goods and services may claim a monthly refund for such taxes paid from the department of revenue. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

**Senate Bill No. 2061** by Senator Stevens.

Revenue, Dept. of -- As introduced, increases from 10 to 12 days the deadline for requesting a formal hearing before the commissioner on adverse action proposed or taken to implement any revenue regulatory or registration law administered by the commissioner, not including those laws relating to assessments or levies of taxes, fees, fines, penalties, interest, or the waiver of penalties. Amends TCA Title 67.

**Senate Bill No. 2062** by Senator Stevens.

Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, changes from March 1 to April 1 the date by which the department of safety must submit an annual seizure report to the speakers of the senate and house of representatives and to the chairs of the judiciary committee of the senate, civil justice committee of the house of representatives, and criminal justice committee of the house of representatives. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 14; Title 8, Chapter 7; Title 38, Chapter 6; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4; Title 40 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4.

**Senate Bill No. 2063** by Senator Stevens.

Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, increases from 10 days to 14 days the amount of time within which a person may obtain a restricted driver license following issuance of an order reinstating a driver license that was revoked for nonpayment of litigation taxes, court costs, and fines by operation of law. Amends TCA Title 40 and Title 55.

**Senate Bill No. 2064** by Senator Watson.

Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- As introduced, revises provisions governing participation in the Tennessee consolidated retirement system by county judges and county officials; makes other revisions regarding participation in the system. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36; Title 8, Chapter 37 and Section 17-2-305.

**Senate Bill No. 2065** by Senator Harris.

Public Health -- As introduced, requires parents, guardians, legal custodians, or caregivers of children attending schools to be notified of unsafe drinking water at schools. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 7.

**MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 33 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, that **Senate Bills Nos. 1861 through 1919** be passed on second consideration and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

**SENATE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION**

The Speaker announced the following bills passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk:

**Senate Bill No. 1861** referred to the Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**Senate Bill No. 1862** referred to the Committee on Delayed Bills.

**Senate Bill No. 1863** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1864** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1865** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1866** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1867** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1868** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1869** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1870** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1871** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1872** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1873** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1874** referred to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**Senate Bill No. 1875** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1876** referred to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**Senate Bill No. 1877** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1878** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1879** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1880** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1881** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1882** referred to the Committee on Transportation and Safety.

**Senate Bill No. 1883** referred to the Committee on Transportation and Safety.

**Senate Bill No. 1884** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1885** referred to the Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**Senate Bill No. 1886** referred to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**Senate Bill No. 1887** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1888** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1889** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1890** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1891** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1892** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1893** referred to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**Senate Bill No. 1894** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1895** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1896** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1897** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1898** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1899** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1900** referred to the Committee on Transportation and Safety.

**Senate Bill No. 1901** referred to the Committee on Education.

**Senate Bill No. 1902** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1903** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1904** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1905** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1906** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1907** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1908** referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

**Senate Bill No. 1909** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1910** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1911** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1912** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**Senate Bill No. 1913** referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

**Senate Bill No. 1914** referred to the Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**Senate Bill No. 1915** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1916** referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Bill No. 1917** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1918** referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 1919** referred to the Committee on State and Local Government.

**MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 532 through 546**; and **Senate Resolutions Nos. 153 through 157** be passed on first consideration and lie over, which motion prevailed.

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS**

The Speaker announced the following resolutions were filed for introduction. Pursuant to Rule 21, the resolutions lie over.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 532** by Senator Norris.

Memorials, Recognition -- Gray's Creek Church, 175th Anniversary.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 533** by Senator Norris.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Carolyn Hardy, Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation Board of Directors.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 534** by Senator Norris.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Jim Rout, Heritage Conservation Trust Fund Board.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 535** by Senator Norris.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Lang Wiseman, State Board of Education.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 536** by Senator Harris.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Pearl Shaw, Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation Board of Directors.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 537** by Senator Harris.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Darrell T. Cobbins, State Board of Education.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 538** by Senator Dickerson.

Memorials, Public Service -- Dr. Scott Standard.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 539** by Senator Niceley.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Eleanor Yoakum, Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation Board of Directors.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 540** by Senator Crowe.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Dr. Robert Patton, Tennessee Ethics Commission.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 541** by Senator Kelsey.

Memorials, Recognition -- City of Germantown, TNCPE Excellence Award.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 542** by Senator Pody.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Karen King, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.

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**Senate Joint Resolution No. 543** by Senator Massey.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Pete Claussen, Heritage Conservation Trust Fund Board.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 544** by Senator Massey.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- William A. "Bill" Young, Claims Commission.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 545** by Senator Yager and Mr. Speaker McNally.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Robert S. Eby, State Board of Education.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 546** by Senator Kyle.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Kay Kelsey, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.

**Senate Resolution No. 153** by Senator Lundberg.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Miles Burdine, Board of Regents.

**Senate Resolution No. 154** by Senator Niceley.

Memorials, Congress -- Urges U.S. Speaker of House and House Chief Clerk to return a TBI report on Martin Luther King assassination known as "MLK Document 200472" submitted to U.S. House Select Committee on Assassinations in 1976.

**Senate Resolution No. 155** by Senators Gardenhire and Watson.

Memorials, Sports -- Coach Jeff Judkins.

**Senate Resolution No. 156** by Senator Dickerson.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Emily Reynolds, Board of Regents.

**Senate Resolution No. 157** by Senator Ketron.

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Yolanda Greene, Board of Regents.

**MOTION**

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 525 through 530**; and **Senate Resolution No. 152** lie over and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

**RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER**

The Speaker announced the following resolutions passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the desk, pursuant to Rule 21:

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 525** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment --

Tony Sanders, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 525 to the Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 526** -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Patrol

Sergeant Eddie Dilbeck, Morristown Police Department.

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The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 526 to the Committee on Calendar.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 527** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Morning Pointe of Greeneville.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 527 to the Committee on Calendar.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 528** -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Recognizes the challenges faced by medical professionals and facilities.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 528 to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 529** -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- John Charles Wilson, Forestry Commission.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 529 to the Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 530** -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Urges Congress and the United States Department of Health and Human Services to revise and update the Medicare Wage Index factor.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 530 to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

**Senate Resolution No. 152** -- Memorials, Death -- Kevin Lee Taylor.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Resolution No. 152 to the Committee on Calendar.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 507** -- Memorials, Retirement -- Becky Buchanan.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 508** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Kentucky-Tennessee District Kiwanis Clubs, 100th Anniversary.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 509** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Alyssa Champagne.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 510** -- Memorials, Sports -- Friendship Christian School football team, 2017 TSSAA Division II Class A State Champions.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 511** -- Memorials, Recognition -- Joe Cross, Independent Herald/Scott County Chamber of Commerce 2017 Person of the Year.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 512** -- Memorials, Death -- Jimmy Wilkey.

**Senate Joint Resolution No. 514** -- Memorials, Death -- Dr. E. Claude Gardner.

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**Senate Joint Resolution No. 515** -- Memorials, Death -- Elizabeth M. "Betty" Tinker.

**Senate Resolution No. 148** -- Memorials, Personal Occasion -- Ruby Lou Hall Julian, 100th Birthday.

**Senate Resolution No. 149** -- Memorials, Death -- Roy Liles.

Senator Roberts moved that all Senate Joint Resolutions and Senate Resolutions be adopted, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes . . . . .	32
Noes . . . . .	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Kyle, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Southerland, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--32.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

**CALENDAR**

Senator Yager moved that **Senate Joint Resolution No. 88** be placed on the Calendar for Monday, February 5, 2018, which motion prevailed.

**RECALL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Niceley, **Senate Bills Nos. 1937 and 1938** were recalled from the Clerk's Desk.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Niceley, Senate Bills Nos. 1937 and 1938 were withdrawn from the Senate.

**RECALL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Lundberg, **Senate Bill No. 1700** was recalled from the Committee on Education.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Lundberg, Senate Bill No. 1700 was withdrawn from the Senate.

**RECALL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Lundberg, **Senate Bill No. 2041** was recalled from the Clerk's Desk.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL**

On motion of Senator Lundberg, Senate Bill No. 2041 was withdrawn from the Senate.



**MOTION**

On motion of Senator Green, his name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 10.**

On motion of Senator Bowling, her name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1756.**

On motion of Senator Jackson, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1906.**

On motion of Senator Crowe, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 508.**

On motion of Senator Haile, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 514.**

On motion, all Senators' names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 515.**

On motion of Senator Harris, his name was added as sponsor of **House Joint Resolutions Nos. 636, 637, 638 and 639.**

**ENGROSSED BILLS**

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MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 514 and 515; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,  
Deputy Chief Clerk

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 686, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 696, 697, 698, 699 and 703; adopted, for the Senate's action.

TAMMY LETZLER,  
Chief Clerk

**ENROLLED BILLS**

January 31, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared Senate Resolutions Nos. 148 and 149, and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,  
Deputy Chief Clerk

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2018 -- 47TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**SIGNED**

January 31, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Resolutions Nos. 148 and 149.

**SIGNED**

January 31, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633 and 634.

**REPORT OF DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK**

January 31, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 480, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 493 and 531; for his action.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,  
Deputy Chief Clerk

**ADJOURNMENT**

Senator Norris moved the Senate adjourn until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 1, 2018, which motion prevailed.